BEGINNING SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16th, THIS STORE WILL BE OPEN EVERY EVENING UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

AS THE DAYS TO CHRISTMAS GROW LESS THERE'S NEED TO START AT ONCE THE

Every one of our four floors is filled to capacity with goods suitable for gift-giving. In our extensive assortments you will find gifts for everyone sensible and joy-bringing gifts for both old and young, for home or personal use.

READY FOR BUSINESS AT 8.30 EVERY MORNING

FOR COMFORTABLE SHOPPING, WE RECOMMEND THE MORNING HOURS



HOLIDAY HATS FOR HOLIDAY WEAR

CHANGEABLE TAFFETA HATS HINDU TURBANS IN METAL FLOWER-TRIMMED TAFFETAS AND FRUIT-TRIM TAFFETAS STYLISH SATIN HATS

1 16 you want to see the finest and most complete line of Toys in eastern Connecticut, visit our Basement. There are Iron Toys, Wooden Toys, and all withe latest novelties in Mechanical Toys. In fact STORE every kind of Toy imaginable is included in our holiday showing.

THE SHOW Big Della, Little Dolla, Dressed Dolla, Undressed Dolls a great assortment including all the best makes. We feel sure that no more comprehensive of more carefully selected line of Dolls will be seen this season, anywhere. All the best makes of Dolls are here to greet you, in a full line of sizes and prices.

Games For Gifts

Hundreds of Games, in scores of different kinds. Games for the children, of course, but amongst them are many games that will afford fun and pastime for the staid and conservative older folks in every home. This year there are many brand new games, shown this season, and at this store for the first time.

The biggest display and best selection of Christmas Cards sand Calendars in Norwich. The assortment includes Christmas Post Cards, Christmas Gards, Booklets and Calendars, all at popular prices. It is Calendars wise to select your Christmas Cards now, while our

The

The Book Store is now located in the Millinery Section. There are hundreds of Books for gift purposes Book including Books for boys, for girls, for adults. Every noted Book of recent publication is now in stock, as well as a dainty assortment of Gift Books, in appro-

Giff Stationary makes a useful and acceptable holiday wift for a grown person or for children. We carry a Station - large line of the best kinds of Stationery, including Eaton, Crane & Pike's Stationery, at prices that are 15 to 33 1-3 per cent, less than today's values.

Gift Toilet Goods

of the best known brands, including Mary Garden,
Diss. Mais, Melba, Vantine's, Hudnut's Mavis, Colgate's, Etc.—all in attractive holiday packages. The
assortment includes Perfumes, Toilet Waters and
Sachet—in a wide range of styles and prices to suitcovery purse.

Jewelry For

Our dewelry Department has been removed to the Dress Goods room for the holidays, where, in the entarged space, we are showing a very complete line of Jawelry for gift purposes. There are hundreds of articles of personal adornment for man, wemen and children, all at popular prices. Make it a point to visit our Jewelry Desartment and see the splendid showing we make.

Useful Gift Goods

Throughout the store are hundreds of articles of utility that would make the best kind of Christmas sifts for every member of the household. You should walk through the store and see the many useful and acceptable sift articles that are displayed on all

A serious fire in Greeneville, wreck- tance. It has soothed all the bank men ed trains, flooded streets, and a boat so that you can borraw money for wreck gave Norwich people plenty of eleven per cent. The street commis excitement this week just fifty years sioner will employ a giver today to asago. The stories of events in those days taken from the files of the Bul-

letin for 1872 are as follows:
Monday, December, 9, 1872—Two
hundred hands were thrown out of
employment by the closing of the Statio dynie woolen milis, owned principally by E. A. Converse, who is neriously effected if not ruined by the failure of Stanfield, Wentworth & Co., of Boston. This latter firm, it is said, held goods of the Stafferdville company for sale on commission to amount of nearly \$200,000. The liabili-ties of the Boston company were great enough to make it impossible for the reditors to receive more than 60 cents n the dollar.
The Rev. Mr. Davis commenced yes-

cent rains have made Shetucket street street about as easy to travel as the path of virtue. Still it is calming to sit in the pale moonlight on the edge of the broad and peaceful lake and listen to. Dr. Bulkeley's hand playing in the dis-Baker was burned by an incendiary

certain the original layout of the

Mr. Bidwell yesterday shipped four boxes full of shoes, clothing, etc., to Miss Thomas school at Heathville, and Miss Thomas has thanked the donors for the many gifts which were greatly needed.

The foundation for the soldiers'

The foundation for the soldiers monument is being laid at the upper end of William's park, and the monument itself is expected within a fort-The down passenger train on the Northern road, yesterday afternoon, ran off the track near Williamntic,

eral hours.

on your desk.

In your stockrooms are prod-

ucts of your Factory which per-

haps some retailer will be glad

A FEW TELEPHONE CALLS

to your trade may quickly move

this surplus stock out of the

Such use of the telephone is

Mr. Salesman:

as swiftly back with an order.

your trade.

Mr. Manufacturer:--

to place on his counter.

factory.

business getting.

Wednesday, December 11, 1872-Tax terday, a series of four lectures on the lists for persons and companies on Prodigal Son, which, judging from the property valued at \$5,000 and upwards first, will be quite as popular as the in 1872 showed some of the largest to last course by this able writer. be as follows: Chelsea Paper Mig. Co., first, will be quite as popular as the last course by this able writer.

Rev. Mr. Nason of Danielson, and \$424.800; Chinton Mills Co. \$200.000; the Jubiles singers entertained last evening at Breed hail, when one of the biggest temperance meetings of the season was held. The attendance was larger than at past meetings.

Tuosday, December 10, 1872—The retout rains have mide Shatmokat streat

USE YOUR TELEPHONE MORE

These are the days when you, Mr. Manufac-

turer; you, Mr. Merchant, and you, too, Mr.

Salesman, can get more and better business by

intelligently extending your use of the telephone

575

Orders await you in every section of your territory these

Travel takes much time, mail moves slowly, but - A'

days. You can clinch most of them quickly by telephone calls to

TELEPHONE CALL SPEEDS SWIFTLY to its destination and

IT'S DONE IN MINUTES-NOT DAYS

THE SOUTHERN NEW ENGLAND

TELEPHONE COMPANY

600 on which there is no insurance.
A Staffordville correspondent writes that business is better at the Staf-fordville Woolen company and that Mr. Converse is able to continue the

Thursday, December 12, 1872—Green-ville was visited by a fire on Wednes-day afternoon which totally destroyed the frame mill owned by the Wal-ter Power company and occupied by Paul B. Greene in the manufacture of candle wicking, twine, piston pack-ing, and batting. The fire began at 2 clock when a nail ran into the lapper. A workman nearby seeing the spark ignite the cotton lying about, ried to extinguish the blaze with a Babcock extinguisher, but the flames had too much of a start and spread rapidly through the building, and in minutes the whole structure

was in flames. The Greeneville steam fire company quickly responded but as the building was doom the two lines of hose were used to save the dyeing establishment of James Houstan which was only about 10 feet away from the Greene building. Within an hour the plant was totally destroyed but the work of the firemen against the in-tense heat saved the Houstan plant.

Mr. Greene's loss was about \$6500 and his insurance \$2500. The building and machinery was valued at about \$3000 and was partly insured. Twenty three hands were thrown out of em-ployment. Mr. Houstan's loss was about \$1000 due to damage to the building and valuable dyes in that

Mr. Merchant:-

over is rapid.

stock.

Certain articles sell quickly

these days-the holiday turn-

Check up and keep up your

A TELEPHONE CALL TODAY

to the producer or wholesaler

may put the goods you wish on

your counters tomorrow.

The Christ Church fair has been one of success and many people have pattronized the many booths.

ler's band furnished the music for the occasion The chief of the Boston fire depart-

The chief of the Boston fire department has written to Chief Delaney for statistics of the aid furnished by the Norwich department at the time of the great fire. Our boys will get due credit for their work, no doubt, although they did not ask for it in their bill.

At the Holiness Mission, 35 Shetucket street, praise and prayer service at 10 a. m. Bible class and Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 and 7.30 p. m.

At Christ Episcopal church, Holy com-Snow piled on the tracks delayed

the boat train last evening. In of arriving here at 8.50 o'clock the train pulled into the station at mid-

Saturday. December 14, 1872—The steamer City of Lawrence, grounded yesterday morning near Perch rock, about a quarter of a mile south of the rolling mill. While trying to plow through heavy ice the steamer lost the channel, and was pushed by the flow onto a mud bar where she lay all night. She was very heavily loaded and it was impossible to shift the cargo, it is expected that she can be

last night. Willimantic reports a case where a

sheep. The collar attached showed the tanimal to belong to a Willimantic man. When the selectmen were approached they refused to take the

fire Sunday evening. The loss is about given at the hall each evening of the a few hours after its previous owner \$600 on which there is no insurance, exhibit. a legal resident of Willimantic.:

SUNDAY SUBJECTS

Friday, December 13, 1872—The ball of the Wauregan Hook and Ladder company at Breed hall last night was an exceedingly enjoyable affair, Mil
Dr. S. H. Howe. Sunday school at moon. At the Spiritual Academy, Park street, Mrs. Amelia Adams, speaker and psychic messages at 2.30 in the after-

At Christ Episcopal church, Holy com-nunion 8 a. m. Morning prayer, holy communion and sermon 10.29 m. Church school 12 m. Evening prayer

At Trinity Episcopal church. Holy

At Christian Science Beading - Boom cargo. It is expected that she can he pulled off at high tide this morning.

The river is full of ice and navigu
10.45 a. m. Subject. Is the Universe, Intion has been closed. The tug Welling-oldding Man, Evolved by Afoms Forton was just able to make her dock Sunday school at 11.45 open to popula to the age of twenty.

At the First Baptist church, pastor, tev. E. C. Dunbar, morning worship 0.30. Subject, Four Kinds of Sell. 12

building and valuable dyes in that corner of the plant. He is insured.

Many local people have view the exhibit of Selous' mammoth paintings of Jerusalem, ancient and modern now being held at Breed hall. Lectures are

sheep. The collar attached showed the 10.30. Subject, Four Kinds of Sell. 12 m., Sunday school. 6 p. m., Young People's service. 7 p. m. evening worship. Subject, Absolute Trust.

At the McKiniey Avenue A. M. E. Zion church, Hev. D. A. Brown, pastor. 10.45 a. m., The One Thing Newstral 1.45 p. m., The Inspiriting and Quickening Power of the Gospel. Stinday school right after morning service.

At the Central Baptlet church David Alexander Pitt, pastor. Morning subject, White Gifts For the King, Itali-an service at 10.30. Supday school and City Bible Class for Men at poon, B. T. P. U. 6.30. Evening subject, Who is Jesus Christ? Special music by make

At the Third Baptist church, B. Dantel Trick, pastor, the topic of the morning service will be The Stewardship of Grace. Bible school at hoon and meet-ing of the C. E. at 5.30 o'clocks topic. Glorious Gains of Fidelity. The ideal Financier will be the topic of the evening service.

At the Norwich Town M. E. church, James R. Aldrich, pastor. The ser-topic of the morning service will be The Forerunaer. C. E. meeting Sunday evening at .30, leader, Edwin-Hill, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. Rev. W. H. Bath, district superintendent, will preach in the evening.

At the United Congregational church, Alexander H. Abbott, minister. Rorning worship at 19.30. Mr. Abbott will preach. Children's talk, White Becomes Binck. Sermon, The Level of Life. Church school at noon. Home-time at the Community house at 6.30. C. H. Ripher will talk to the young people on A Successful Life.

SOCIAL CORNER:

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chocolate-mixture to the scalded milk which is in the top of the double bott-er. This, too, should be done slowly, stirring constantly; then the cover of the double boiler should be once more put on and the hot chocolate allowed to cook until the luncheon or, supper hour. Just before serving, put an egg-beater of the wheel type into the upper part of the double boiler and beat the hot chocolate very hard for three or four minutes. This final beating makes it from and creative and will beater. it frothy and creamy, and will prevent skin forming on it (this is also true of cocoa. This final beating is called "m lling" the chocolate).

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Whipped cream sweetened and flavored with a few drops of vanilla gives the linas touch.

A merry Christmas to all the Corner
NORMA

GRATEFUL FOR REMEMBRANCES "Tis Sweet to Be Bemeubered." I cor-tainly thought so Dec. 5th when a Bun-shine box from The Corner sisters was ent me from the Buckingham Me I was both surprised and deligh want to thank you all; also Diean all a very Meery Christmas and a Ha New Year. Yellow Daisy: I think I knowed

Yellow Daisy: I think I, know...

Guess we enjoyed those steamed sit
together July 115h at my brother's sit
day supper. Am I right?

I, too, am thunkful for my many to
ings. They are more than I can miss
Nancy: How are your Did your
cold that day? I think I did.

C. E. S.; Shall never forget the six
ant time we had at your home Seek.

ugh to take the trip, had to until another dase.

Nail? I had a copy of the series of the seri

HANKS HILL

Holland Ide was the guest of her or, Wayland Ide over the week as Mrs. Mary Boglisch's children have all had the chicken pex are

